

NEWS OF THE MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE

Aerial Gunner Serving in England



CPL. RAYMOND J. COONEY
Cpl. Cooney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Cooney, of 107 Avon Rd., Narberth, received his aerial gunner's wings at Harlingen, Texas, recently. He is now waiting to be assigned to a crew.



LT. (jg) S. J. MCCARTY, JR.
Lt. McCarty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. McCarty, Sr., of 405 Woodside Ave., Narberth, is serving as supply and disbursing officer aboard an LST based in England. He has been overseas for more than a year.

Sp. 3/C Dick Rittenhouse, Wynnewood Rd., Merion, will graduate this week from Radio School at Atlantic City and report to Boston.

Lt. William Clippsham, Haverford Ave., has been granted a two weeks extension to his 30 day furlough.

Pfc. Thomas Stanton, husband of Dorothy Hensley Stanton, 125 Merion Ave., has been honorably discharged from the Army.

Pvt. Joseph Muligan, USA, brother of Mrs. John R. Lewis, of 213 Grayling Ave., Narberth, is spending some time with his sister. Recently discharged from the Valley Forge Hospital where he had been treated for a leg wound, Pvt. Muligan had served 2½ years overseas.

It's Lt. L. Harvey Hewitt, 15th Air Force, Italy, as of February 17.

Captain D. C. Casey, son of Mrs. J. C. Casey, of 111 Essex Ave., Narberth, has recently been transferred from Hill Field, Utah, to Egypt. He had been stationed in Utah for two years.

Captain Casey has two other brothers in the service. Cpl. Jeremiah M. Casey, overseas with the 14th Division, and Sgt. Thomas W. Casey, serving in England.

Captain William H. Lewis, brother of J. R. Lewis, of 213 Grayling Ave., Narberth, is spending some time with his brother. He recently returned from overseas, where he completed 70 missions over Italy and Germany.

1/C Petty Officer Robert Knapp, 418 Dudley Ave., is now in the Marianas.

Pfc. Alan Claghorn, laboratory technician at Walker Reed Hospital, spent last weekend in Narberth.

Lower Merion High School NEWS LETTER

PVT. J. J. (REDS) HAMMONDS, '44, is at Camp Blanding, Fla. Reds was manager of last year's basketball team and one of the mainstays on the pitching staff.

Here's a card from RICHARD MQUILLEN, A. S., '45, Bainbridge, Md. "Although I just entered the service, I certainly would like to get a copy of the NL each month."

CPL. JIM BEIRNE, '43, is in Port Hu, Personnel in Alaska, APO 942, Seattle. Soon after he arrived there Jim wrote his address in a guest book. Under "TOWN," he wrote Lower Merion. Several days later he looked at the same book and under it had been written "Best Basketball Team in Penna. every year." "Allentown beat them... they stink"... "They won't play in Pittsburgh"... etc.

PFC. RAY GRECO, APO 88, NY, read his last NL in a foxhole in Italy. After he read it he passed it around to other guys. He says they're having lots of snow.

CPL. ROLAND G. JAMES, '41, PFO, SF, is out in the Pacific in a Hq. Co. with the 1st Marines. He's still working with pen, pencil and ink, and is combat artist for his Division. From ODIE we learn that FRANK RICHARDS (a Tony) is an Ensign and JACK MITCHELL (another Tony) is a gunner on a B-17 in Italy.

JOE DOUGERTY, ARM 3/c, '43, is taking a refresher course in aviation radio at Memphis. He's giving up hopes of getting overseas, says, "They don't know where to send me next."

S/SGT. HORACE M'LEES is somewhere in India. APO 493, NY. He has been around in China, Burma and India and says things are primitive and dirty, a hundred years behind us in everything. And they're playing baseball—what!

S/SGT. JOHN A. MINTYRE is doing personnel work at Ft. Devens, Mass., and he doesn't like it. Says there isn't enough to keep him busy.

Another Christmas card! From PFC. GEORGE BRESLOW, APO 78, NY, somewhere in Germany.

CPL. ANTHONY BASILE, APO 502, SF, is still in the Southwest Pacific. He says it's very hot and he gets a little hotly swim in the river just the same. He got a letter from VINCE DI LELLA two days after mailing and says that's really smooth.

PVT. NORRIS L. SHOWELL, APO 14580-B, NY, is somewhere in India. He writes to Mrs. Young and says he's married, too. He spent Christmas day on a boat and New Year's on a train, and wishes he were back in school.

WM. DAVENPORT, A/S, sent a short note from Franklin and Marshall College acknowledging receipt of his NL. He is in a V-12 unit.

PVT. GEORGE S. DOWNING, '35, APO 228, NY, is in Belgium. He says it's nice, many of the people speak English, the rest Flemish and French. "The food is good, delicious ice cream, and good beer, which is plentiful. I visited Paris, a beautiful city, but prices are very high. I still haven't met a Merionite, but some day hope to strike it lucky." George is with an M. P. Co.

SEVEN V-MAILS coming up—No. 1 is from CPL. L. K. GRAHAM, '42, APO 34, NY, somewhere in Italy. The CPL. is assistant chaplain for the 2nd Bn. and likes his job. He received his 33rd and 34th NLS about the same time and answered them while sitting in the back of an ambulance on a cold, wet day.

T/5 JOHN WEYMANN, APO 350, NY, is in England. He hasn't seen any Merionites but hears regularly from HARRY ELLSWORTH, with the 1st Army in Germany. JOHN has been to London twice, enjoyed seeing the sites and promises, if anything important happens, to let us know.

PVT. LEWIS E. RYAN, APO 488, NY, who has been in India, flew "over the hump" and is now in China. "All the people are farmers, clothed in rags. The mountains are different from the jungles we just left. Don't ever forget me on the mailing list."

CPL. DEWEY V. LISTINO, APO 557, NY, is in England. He says they're having snow and it reminds him of home. He played a bit of soccer (wing position), but hurt his foot and had to take to the sidelines.

CPL. THOMAS J. ROGERS, APO 654, NY, is also in England. As soon as he arrived he visited his brother, BILL, in Northern England. On his return trip he visited CPL. BILL GATNEY in London. Tom saw both BILLS at Camp Lee the Summer before Pearl Harbor. TOM is with an APO WPNB BN.

LT. ANTHONY P. PENNOCK, '37, Patuxent River, Md., writes, "I'm a Tony, all right, both by name and by virtue of not having written the NL during the two years or more I've enjoyed it." Last Sunday I tried to show a class of 12-year-old boys how happy the Master was when he saved the sheep that was lost (you know the story?).

Here's a card from LT. ALEX TOWNSEND, '39, POW OPLAG 64, Germany. Here's what he has to say, "Dear Mr. Benner: I've missed the NL greatly, but hope to get all the back numbers when I return. At present, I'm a 'guest' of the German Army and am residing somewhere in Germany at a camp for American Officers. Kindly pass on my regards to SIB LEE and ADOLPH VOGEL, as well as the Class of '39. Sincerely, ALEX TOWNSEND. (Flash! We read in the newspaper that all the prisoners in OPLAG 64 had been moved before the Russians could liberate them.)"

Casualty List

WOUNDED
Pfc. Paul J. Wehman, son of Mrs. Hulda Wehman, of 219 N. Narberth Ave., Narberth, in Europe.

Pfc. Frank A. Fawcett, husband of Ann Williams Fawcett, of 115 Merion Ave., Narberth, slightly injured in Germany, February 18. He has been evacuated to a hospital in England.

1st Lt. Andrew J. Cavanaugh, 3rd, of 125 E. Levering Mill Rd., Cynwyd, in France for the second time, January 9.

Rabbits Caught By Jr. Sportsmen

Campaign Expected to Reduce Victory Garden Damage

During the past two months, the junior members of the Lower Merion Rod and Gun Club and the junior sportsmen of the Yeaton School have been active in the 1945 rabbit trapping program of the Pennsylvania Game Commission. To date, these boys have caught in box traps provided by the Commission more than 300 rabbits that had caused damage to victory gardens and nurseries in Lower Merion, Upper Merion, Haverford, Townships and the Borough of Yeaton. The trapped rabbits have been turned over, alive and healthy, to the Pennsylvania Game Commission and have been released on open hunting areas in other parts of the State. The purpose of the trapping program is two-fold:

First, it decreases the damage done by rabbits in gardens, nurseries and other no hunting areas by removing them. Second, it provides the Pennsylvania Game Commission with rabbits for stocking purposes at this time when rabbits from previous years are not available. Capt. Robert J. Fawcett, physical education instructor in the Yeaton School, has been conducting the trapping program of the Yeaton Juniors, while the Lower Merion and Delaware County boys have been trapping under the direction of Mr. Ellen A. Dietrich, Upper Darby. Cooperating also with Mrs. Dietrich have been: Henry C. Smith, Merion, who is in charge of Lower Merion Boy Scouts; Clarence E. Martin, Llanerch, in charge of the Llanerch Boy Scout troops.

The success of the Lower Merion and Delaware County boy trappers was praised this week by W. M. Cramer, Harrisburg, and W. J. Golden, Reading, the Pennsylvania Game Commission representatives in charge of the trapping program, as well as by the acting district game protector of this area, George Fries of Hershams.

Winner Elected to Hospital Group

County Treasurer Is Named Executive Vice President

Edwin Winner, treasurer of Montgomery County, was elected executive vice-president of Inter-County Hospitalization Plan, Inc., at the annual meeting of the Plan's board of directors. Winner was elected following the resignation of James R. Mays who had been executive vice-president since 1938.

Ernest Nachod, attorney, Glenside, was elected a director and treasurer to fill the post previously held by Winner. Other directors elected were: Joseph Appleyard, M. D., representing the Lancaster County Medical Society and James E. Shipley, executive director of Abington Memorial Hospital.

Officers re-elected were: George E. Tyler, president; Howard MacQuinn, vice-president; J. Franklin Roberts, secretary; W. B. Lange, manager of the Plan since its inception in 1937 was re-elected as manager.

The Inter-County Hospitalization Plan, which is a non-profit plan, sponsored by hospitals, now has more than 112,000 enrolled subscribers. It has paid almost \$3,000,000 in hospital bills since it was started in 1937.

Something For the Police Major to Straighten Out

Major Samuel W. Gearhart, Township Building, Ardmore, Pa. My dear Major Gearhart:

The Township has ordinances which are instituted for the welfare and safety of its residents. Are we not to look to the police to enforce them?

During the season when snow falls there is not an ordinance requiring the clearing of sidewalks by the householder? For two years I have called up the Police Department in regard to this and it has been of no avail. Since the first fall of snow I have not been able to walk from my house on Manor Road to Montgomery Avenue on the sidewalk and of late the street has been so slippery that walking on it was treacherous.

When the occupants of a house go away they make no arrangements for having their sidewalks cleaned and the Police Department apparently close their eyes to it.

While I am on the subject of police supervision may I ask if the Fire Marshal or Assistant Fire Marshal have a special dispensation to park in front of The Pennsylvania Company to go in and cash a check? It happened one day when I had taken my car over into the Suburban Square district because I could find no parking space on the South Side. I walked back and entered the door of The Pennsylvania Company with the Marshal and we both had the same errand—namely merely to cash a check.

Very truly yours,
Gibson Bell.

Isolationism Still Can Balk Dumbarton Oaks Proposals, Narberth Club Women Hear

The threat of isolationism still hangs over America and endangers the peace of the world Miss Mary Dingman, lecturer on international affairs, told members of the Women's Community Club of Narberth, Tuesday afternoon.

Because of the two-thirds ruling Miss Dingman, who spent 22 years in Europe, said that it would take 33 votes in the United States Senate to kill the Dumbarton Oaks proposals.

"After World War I," Miss Dingman said, "the majority of people wanted to join the League of Nations but their will was defeated by a small group of isolationist senators."

This betrayal of the people's trust, she told the club women, led to the second World War.

Miss Dingman said: "We have got to be convinced first that it is possible to have a better world... I believe it is possible only if we have faith and a basic understanding of the world we live in. We have to believe in the law of solidarity of living together as one human family, all brothers and sisters, black and white. The basic sin is to break that solidarity law by thinking we can be safe with all the rest of the world burning up. We must give up war as a means of settling disputes. We must have respect for the human soul and be rid of the devilish philosophies of the Nazis. We must remove conditions that make for war by doing away with slums, lack of education, racial prejudice and economic aggression."

Miss Dingman urged women to keep themselves informed on the progress of the Dumbarton Oaks meeting and the meetings that will be held in San Francisco in April.

"It is a terrible indictment against the American people," she said, "that a recent survey showed only 100,000 persons out of 138 million have read the Dumbarton Oaks agreement."

The literature group will meet on Tuesday, Mar. 13, at 2 P. M. at the home of Mrs. William H. Durbin, 400 Anthony Rd., Narberth. Mrs. H. L. Christman, Montgomery County literature chairman, will review book.

Two Enter Race for Bell Lowers Rural L. M. Tax Collector Installation Cost

Hammonds Candidacy Announced By East Bryn Mawr Group

J. Walter Hammonds, East Bryn Mawr commissioner, announced this week he would be a candidate for treasurer and tax collector of Lower Merion Township. His announcement followed a meeting of the executive committee of the East Bryn Mawr Republicans last Thursday night at which a resolution was adopted urging Hammonds to run. The office, paying \$20,000 a year and upwards, is now held by Peter C. Hess, Bala, who entered into an agreement four years ago with party leaders not to seek a sixth term.

So far, there is only one other person to announce that he would enter the race. He is Orion E. Kline, deputy tax collector, and political partner of Dr. Frank P. L. Barker, Gladwyne, county controller. Kline, who is Gladwyne's committeeman, has been in the duty's office for the same number of years—20—that Hess has been tax collector.

Most political observers, however, are doubting the legitimacy of the Kline candidacy. They believe he is shadow-boxing to be reappointed as deputy tax collector or to be transferred to more remunerative position on the county payroll.

Hammonds, who is 48, lives at 718 Old Lancaster Rd., Gladwyne. He is married and has two daughters, one of whom is married.

East Bryn Mawr Republicans there was a bid for Organization support for Hammonds.

"The East Bryn Mawr Group," the statement (Hammonds) will have the support of the Organization, since Hammonds typifies the new and young blood that the Republican leaders are endeavoring to attract to the party's ranks.

Hammonds was born in Bryn Mawr and has lived there ever since with the exception of the two years he spent overseas in the first World War. He is a graduate of Lower Merion High School where he played guard on the football team. On the death of his father six years ago he received the commissioner appointment and then was elected for a full term four years ago.

His partner in the lumber firm of T. W. Hammonds and Brother, Bryn Mawr, He is a director of the Bryn Mawr Trust Company, the Rosemont Building, and an associate of the Bryn Mawr Ice Company. Hammonds is a

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"Andy" Reaches Great Decision; Ex-Pupil Is Likely Successor

Friends Convinced It's Cut and Dried Matter

Now that Bill Anderson has reached the Great Decision—that he won't be back as basketball coach and director of athletics at Lower Merion High School next year—speculation already is rife as to who is apt to be his successor.

Gendall Reeves, highly successful javelin coach, probably would come for first consideration and quite likely could have the job if he wanted it. L. B. Fowler and Harold Kline, who have turned out winning teams in the junior high schools, also deserve consideration, and in the school system are such possible candidates as Ollie Robinson, who coached at Chester High and Berwyn, and Shorty Miller, who tutored standout court teams at Edison Junior High, Harrisburg.

But the feeling persists among followers of the school that Andy's successor will be one of his former pupils in order to keep the Anderson system of basketball at L. M. Heading this category would be Al Mandes, one of the stars of the great 1929-30 team who coached Camden Catholic High to the New Jersey State title in its class last year, and Hugh Wynn, one of the 1930-31 heroes, who has been a successful mentor at Ridley Township High School. It is quite possible that when a new basketball coach is named he will be a former pupil of the athletic director. It is considered

Clerk-Carrier Job Open at Ardmore

The U. S. Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for the position of substitute clerk-carrier, for duty at the Post Office in Ardmore. In order to qualify, applicants must pass a written examination. Minimum age is 18, there is no maximum. Applicants must be citizens of, or owe allegiance to the United States, and must be physically capable of performing the duties of the position.

CIO at Autocar Co. Installs Officers

Bernard Hargadon of Ardmore Is New President

New officers were installed at a meeting of United Automobile Worker, CIO, of the Autocar Company in the Merion Fire Company hall, Ardmore, Sunday afternoon. Bernard Hargadon, 130 Ardmore Ave., Ardmore, is the new president.

The retiring president, Walter Cole, handled the installations. Officers were elected on February 27.

Charles Fish, Merwold Park, first vice-president; Pharis Martin, Ardmore, second vice-president; William Stier, Ardmore, financial secretary; Joseph Wundeland, Ardmore, treasurer; Edward J. Hutton, Ardmore, treasurer; Walter Benedict, Upper Darby, guide.

Trustees installed were Edward T. Shea, William Hamlet, Philadelphia, and Joseph Driscoll, Ardmore.

Directors installed were Ross Fiscus, Wayne; Raymond Aylor, Ardmore; Raymond DeFelice, Ardmore; Frank Malloy, Bridgeport, and James Fondos, Conshohocken.

Three were nominated for recording secretary at the meeting. They are John Vio, Upper Darby; James J. Costello, Ardmore, and Edmond MacDonald, South Ardmore.

Lions Club Now Collecting Radios

Wartana Is Speaker At Wynnewood House Meeting

An appeal for old radios that can be repaired and turned over to the Valley Forge Hospital was sent out this week by the Bala-Cynwyd Lions Club.

Fred Dannenhauer is chairman of the Club's radio committee.

Radios, said Dannenhauer, should be left at the following Bala-Cynwyd stores:

Richards Barber Shop, Kirsch Chevrolet, Harry Adolizis, tailor shop, Henry's hardware store and Dannenhauer's radio shop.

The radios will be delivered to the Hospital by the Red Cross and repaired by the soldiers.

The Club is now meeting every Tuesday night, 7 P. M., at the Wynnewood House. Bert Wartana of the Franklin Research Company was the speaker Tuesday. Thomas Howlands, district governor of Lions Clubs, was present.

Wartana spoke on "The Four Freedoms."

Church Celebrates 50th Anniversary

The First Baptist Church of Ardmore celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of its founding on Sunday in the Church House, Athens Ave. at Saint Paul's Rd.

The program included greetings from civic and religious leaders of the community. The occasion also served as a farewell to the Rev. Russell Hawley Bishop, who has been pastor of the church since May, 1941. Rev. Bishop is leaving to take the pastorate of the First Baptist Church of Erie, Pa.

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Introduce Bill For Valley Forge Pkwy.

Wants 80-Foot Right-of-Way Set Aside; Follows River Rd. and Would Provide Traffic Feeder For Main Line Towns

The first step toward the creation of the proposed Valley Forge Parkway to connect Philadelphia with Valley Forge is envisioned in a bill introduced in the Legislature at Harrisburg this week by Lambert Cadwalader, Villanova, representative from the First Legislative District of Montgomery County.

Going Overseas



Miss Cecile Bowes, Trevort Lane, Cynwyd, staff assistant of American Red Cross, is taking a three weeks preparatory course in Washington, D. C. before embarking for overseas. Miss Bowes, an A. W. V. S. driver, expects to be gone for the duration of the war.

A well known sports figure, "Babe" as she is affectionately known, has traveled all over the world with her rackets. At present she rates second in the Middle States for the Sears Cup and is National Women's South Champion for the duration.

Miss Bowes is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Bowes.

Building Boosted By Damage Repair

Monthly Report Show Increase For Second Month of Year

Repairing fire damage accounted for more than half the money spent for building construction in Lower Merion Township during February.

During the past month 34 permits were issued and the construction amounted to \$45,067. This is an increase of \$12,239 over February of last year.

To repair fire damage five permits were issued at valuations totaling \$27,225.

The money spent for alterations and additions last month amounted to \$13,410 and for repairs \$2,783.

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Wins Honors at Skidmore College

The list of Skidmore College students receiving honors for the semester 1944-45, as announced by Dean Margaret Bridgman last week included Nancy Graham, sophomore art major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Graham, Overhill, Pa. "Majors" or "Captains" and two hundred workers, the contributions have been steadily rolling in. Let this be a must on your list. Never in all time has there been such a need for the support of one of the finest organizations. If time does not permit you to work for this great organization—give doubly to support it.

We've certainly had lots of rain this past week. But "cheerup", just think how fine it will be for your garden. That idea of "laying out your garden on paper in March" is an interesting and helpful way to put in a rainy day. Remember all those seeds and plants you carted home last year and then didn't know where in the garden you were going to place them? A paper diagram is very helpful, and saving too, as you won't buy more than you have space to plant—which is always a temptation.

Master Roland Flier, Jr., will celebrate his fifth birthday Saturday, March 10, with a birthday party at his home, 227 North Narberth Ave.

New Books
"River Song" by Harry Hamilton. "River Song" like "Banjo on My Knee" is bubbling over with laughter and melody.

"Warsaw Ghetto" by Mary Berg. The first authentic eye witness account of the Polish Jew's ordeal by Nazi terror.

"Jennifer's House" by Christine Noble Govan. An absorbing novel of the colorful Tremont family, from the turn of the century to the present.

"The Private Adventure of Captain..."

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Eileen Tolan Wed to R. M. James Mar. 3

Ceremony Held in All Saints Church; To Live in Narberth

All Saint's Church in Wynnewood was the scene of a very pretty late Winter wedding on Saturday, March 3, when Mrs. Eileen Tolan, daughter of Mrs. W. H. Haws of 106 Dudley Ave., became the bride of Richard Meredith James, of Grand Rapids, Michigan.

The altar was beautifully decorated with white gladiolas, snapdragons and ferns. The Rev. Gibson Bell, rector of All Saint's performed the ceremony. The double ring ceremony was used.

The bride wore a gown of shocking pink crepe, a copper and pink hat with short veil, and wore a corsage of white orchids. Miss Dorothy Pollock, sister of the bride, and her only attendant, wore a gown of gold crepe, matching hat, and carried a bouquet of Spring flowers.

John Saunders, of Charleston, S. Carolina, acted as best man for Mr. James.

Following the ceremony dinner was served at the General Wayne for 36 wedding guests. Mr. and Mrs. James are spending their honeymoon in New York, and will be at home after March 15 at the Sabine Apartments.

Jane Davis to Wed Ensign Odell

Ceremony to Be Held March 10; List Attendants

The marriage of Miss Jane Davis, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence R. Davis, and Ensign Robert Odell will take place Saturday, March 10, at four o'clock at the Ardmore Presbyterian Church.

Miss Davis will have as her matron of honor, Mrs. John M. Welsh of Narberth; Miss Ellen Benton of Scarsdale, New York will be maid of honor, and the bridesmaids will be Mrs. R. Donald Bittler, Drexel Hill, Mrs. William Jones, Narberth, Miss Donna Hart, Cynwyd, and Mrs. Donald Fleming, Sioux City, Iowa, sister of the groom.

Howard Odell will act as best man for his brother, and the ushers will be Captain Donald Odell, Lt. Lawrence Davis, J. Thomas Davis, Francis McKernan, and Robert Lockwood.

Miss Lois Thomas Engagement Listed

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Thomas, of 303 Cherry Lane, Merion, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lois Virginia Thomas, to William J. Sampson, Navy Reserve Officer's Training Corps, University of Pennsylvania, son of Mrs. Frances Sampson and the late Dr. Allen G. Sampson, of Philadelphia.

FIRESIDE

Mrs. John G. Widmaier, of 509 Beechwood Lane, Narberth, entertained at a bridge club supper, last Thursday evening.

Among the guests were Mrs. Roger Cox, Mrs. William MacPerson, Mrs. William McLaughlin, Mrs. Harry Dougherty, Mrs. Charles Chonister, Mrs. William Huplets, and Mrs. William Atlee.

A stork shower, given in honor of Mrs. C. R. Williams, was held at the home of Mrs. Ray Maxwell, of 11 Haws Terrace, Ardmore, Thursday evening, March 1.

The guests included Mrs. James Deasy, Mrs. Evelyn Fleck, Miss Connie Case, Mrs. Edward Britton, Miss Mary Duffy, Miss Margaret Duffy, Mrs. Jean Rigger, Mrs. J. A. Maxwell, and Mrs. J. G. Widmaier, sister of Mrs. Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan R. Keim were the guests of Mr. Keim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hervey C. Keim, of Dudley Ave., Narberth.

Mrs. Albert Gibson and her son, Albert Gibson, Jr., are visiting Mrs. Gibson's sister, Mrs. M. H. Reynolds, of the Center Apts., Forrest Ave., Narberth.

Mrs. Gibson has just returned from visiting New Mexico, where she had been staying with her husband, Cpl. Albert Gibson.

Miss Dorothy Nonemaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Nonemaker of 310 Hampden Ave., Narberth, had as her guest, her fiancé, MM 2/c Wayne Fleming, of Iowa.

Miss Nonemaker and her fiancé are visiting MM 2/c Fleming's parents, in Demoin, and will return the latter part of this week.

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A girl, born March 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph MacGregor, of 113 Walnut Ave., Ardmore.

A girl, born February 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tatnall, of 236 E. Lancaster Ave., Wynnewood.

A girl, born March 1, to Mr. and Mrs. John Kapean, of 909 Dalmont Drive, Wynnewood.

A girl, born March 1, to Mr. and Mrs. John Williamson, of 505 Old Gulph Rd., Penn Valley.

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Narberth Loses Playoff Opener To Lukens, 62-47

Borough Five Gets Chance to Even Series Wednesday

Narberth's crack basketball team which finished in first place during the regular season and which for a time threatened to outclass the circuit is going to have a terrific fight on its hands in the championship series in the Main Line Basketball League.

Something that had been a suspicion late in the season became an absolute fact Tuesday night when Lukens Steel A. A. of Coatesville opened the seven-game title series by crushing the borough five 62-47, before 900 fans at Coatesville High School.

Coatesville climbed out of a deep spot in the second division to tie Penn Steel of Chester for second place in the final standings and then in the preliminary playoffs eliminated the Chester team, 42-34 and 44-31, to reach the final.

The Lukens five was hotter than anything in the Main Line day and its marksmanship was so uncanny that no matter what Narberth did it was for naught.

Don Cameron, Coatesville guard who has never been a heavy scoring man, had one of his best nights when he couldn't miss and he was the main reason for the big difference in the score. He hit the cords, mostly from long range, for nine field goals and converted three fouls for 21 points.

Don Markward, league scoring champion, had one of his ordinary nights, banging home six field goals and converting a like number from the foul line for 18 points.

Between them they scored as many goals from scrimmage as the entire Narberth club.

Russ Hermann led Narberth with 11 points while Bobby Sultzer and Bill Lewis tallied ten apiece.

Coatesville took a 14-8 lead in the first period, widened it to 34-28 by halftime and gradually drew away in the latter periods.

Narberth is handicapped in the series by the loss of regular center Hank Belber, former Lower Merion High star, who entered the Navy two weeks ago. He's stationed at Bainbridge, Md., by the way.

Narberth will try to even the series next Wednesday night on the Bala-Cynwyd floor, and the third game will be played at Coatesville Friday, March 16. It is planned to alternate the games on Wednesday-Friday basis thereafter until the champion is crowned.

COATESVILLE NARBERTH

Markward, 6 18 Sultzer, 11 17
Rubcam, 1 5 7 Spector, 4 4 10
Garawski, 1 1 3 Law, 2 6 11
Cameron, 9 21 Hermann, 8 10 18
Butz, 5 13 D'Amico, 1 0 2
22 18 52 Speller, 1 0 3

Halftime score: Coatesville 34, Narberth 28. Referee: Blittz and Myers.

"Andy" Reaches

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he might acquaint himself with his new duties at Lafayette this Spring.

It was quite a tough decision for Andy to reach, but he decided he had reached the pinnacle of success at Lower Merion, that his future was limited here, inasmuch as he was an All-American player at Lafayette and earned his first coaching spurs there, the prospect of returning to what amounts to a lifetime job as basis of athletics at his alma mater was an appeal too great to resist.

Anderson will succeed Bill Reaser, who has been acting director of athletics since Estlie Clark was commissioned by the Army two years ago. Clark decided about a year ago he wouldn't return after the war. Anderson will replace Art Winters, head of the physical education department who has been coaching basketball on a "duration basis" the past three seasons. Winters presumably will continue as head of the physical education department under Anderson.

His success at Lower Merion was little short of phenomenal. He coached out four State PIAA championship teams, including three in a row, and won seven Eastern Pennsylvania titles, 12 District One PIAA crowns and 13 Section One championships in the Suburban Conference, each a record in itself. He never had a team finish lower than second in his league.

In the 18 years Lower Merion won 343 games and lost 55 for an average of .862. In 12 appearances in the State tournament, Anderson's pupils won 59 games, lost but eight for an average of .881. He reached the peak of his success during 1940-43 with his three State title winning teams, which won 69 games and lost four. His 1942-43 team finished its regular and tournament season undefeated, but dropped a lone con-

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Anderson's Amazing Record In 18 Years at Lower Merion.

Season	Won	Lost	League Finish	State Tournament
1926-27	23	14	Second	Won
1927-28	24	6	First	1
1928-29	15	11	First	1
1929-30	22	2	First	1
1930-31	22	2	First	1
1931-32	22	8	Second	0
1932-33	24	2	First	0
1933-34	19	4	First	1
1934-35	15	3	Tie for first	1
1935-36	20	1	First	1
1936-37	19	4	First	1
1937-38	14	3	Tie for first	1
1938-39	23	2	First	1
1939-40	20	2	First	1
1940-41	22	2	First	0
1941-42	24	1	First	0
1942-43	23	1	First	0
1943-44	21	3	First	1
1944-45	13	5	Tie for second	8
Totals	343	55		

*Lost playoff.

tent to Penn Charter in a post-season game for the Red Cross. Lower Merion failed to lead its league for the first time in seven years this past season. The Maroon team was probably as great a tribute to Anderson's coaching ability as any of his titles.

Despite a green team he had LM in the running until the final game and finished in a tie with Norristown for second place. The season's record of 13 victories and five defeats was the poorest since his 1931-32 club dropped seven games.

A great majority of Anderson's pupils became college stars. This last season, for example, Phil Harman was at Penn; Dick Weickling at Muhlenberg; Dan Pore at Lafayette; and Stan Peacock at Yale. Three of his pupils became Penn captains, namely, Roger Hanger, Chuck Viguers and Larry Davis.

Anderson, born and raised at North Braddock in Western Pennsylvania, played his first basketball at Shady Side Academy. Later he matriculated at Haverford school before entering Lafayette. He became coach at Lafayette while still a player in his junior year during the last war. He scored 449 points in the 1917-18 season, a State mark that stood until George Senesky, St. Joseph's, wiped it out two years ago. He left Lafayette to enter the Lower Merion system in 1926, became head coach of basketball the next season.

BASKETBALL STANDINGS

BOYS' CLUB CONFERENCE

Last Week's Results

Berwyn B. C. 35, Stonehurst Hills 29.

Good Counsel 52, Malvern B. C. 25.

Malvern B. C. 23, Paoli B. C. 20.

Manoa B. C. 24, Westgate Hills 27.

Monday's Results

Good Counsel 38, Berwyn B. C. 26.

Narberth 39, Stonehurst Hills 22.

Standings of the Teams

Narberth B. C. 6 0 1,000

Good Counsel B. C. 5 1 825

Berwyn B. C. 3 2 600

Stonehurst Hills 3 3 500

Malvern B. C. 1 3 400

Manoa B. C. 1 3 250

Westgate Hills 1 4 200

Paoli B. C. 0 5 000

Monday: Narberth B. C. vs. Paoli B. C. at Lower Merion High School.

Tuesday: Berwyn B. C. vs. Manoa B. C. at Easttown Grammar School.

Thursday: Manoa B. C. vs. Good Counsel B. C. at Penn Wynne School.

Friday: Stonehurst Hills vs. Westgate Hills at Upper Darby High School.

MAIN LINE LEAGUE

Championship Series

Coatesville 62, Narberth 47.

Standings of Teams

W. L. P. C.

Coatesville 1 0 1,000

Narberth 0 1 000

Wednesday-Coatesville vs. Narberth at Bala-Cynwyd Jr. High.

Friday-Narberth at Coatesville.

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Cynwyd Five Wins In 2 Extra Periods

Penn Valley Drops 19-17 Decision; Bala Victor

Cynwyd defeated Penn Valley, 19-17, in the most thrilling basketball game of the year in the Bala-Cynwyd Senior League, two extra periods being necessary before the decision was decided last Saturday morning.

The regular game ended 15-14 and neither team could make more than two points in the first overtime period.

Bala continued its winning streak by defeating Bala-Cynwyd, 48-10, and Merion scored a 41-24 victory over Ardmore in the other games.

There are two more weeks of play remaining on the schedule.

MERION ARDMORE

Brenner, 8 2 18 Burk, 1 0 2

Erwin, 1 0 0 Kern, 1 3 3

Baker, 1 0 0 McCaw, 2 0 1

Snyder, 1 0 0 Bruza, 2 1 3

Johnson, 1 0 0 P. Mney, 2 0 4

Denig, 1 0 0 D. Mney, 2 0 1

Wohl, 1 0 0 Totals 10 4 24

Totals 18 5 41

CYNWYD PENN VALLEY

Oaks, 1 0 0 Wilson, 1 0 2

Weth'ld, 1 0 0 Bilton, 1 1 3

Reeves, 1 0 0 Roney, 1 0 2

Kalish, 1 0 0 Lorch, 2 0 0

Powell, 1 0 0 Oliver, 0 0 0

Goodall, 1 0 0 Scott, 0 4 4

Miller, 1 0 0 Totals 5 7 17

Totals 8 3 19

BALA BALA-CYNWYD

Link, 1 0 0 M'Chew, 1 0 2

Hall, 1 0 0 Matore, 1 0 2

Golden, 1 0 0 M'Kinn, 2 0 4

Albrecht, 1 0 0 Lynch, 2 0 0

Masters, 1 0 0 M'Min, 0 0 0

Aspen, 1 0 0 Totals 5 0 10

Barris, 1 0 0 Totals 22 4 48

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St. Margaret Five Wins In Tourney

St. Margaret's of Narberth, champion of the Main Line Parochial School League, has reached the quarterfinal round of the playoffs for the district Parochial championship.

The Narberth players handed St. Anthony's its first defeat in 24 games to the tune of 19-10 at Northeast Catholic High last Saturday, but while it was the 11th straight for the locals it was somewhat of a hollow victory as three of St. Anthony's players were ruled ineligible prior to the game last Saturday.

Capelli and Murphy led St. Margaret's with eight and six points, respectively.

Other survivors in the tournament, include St. Ambrose and Resurrection who defeated Incarnation, 30-26, and St. Francis Xavier, 21-16, respectively.

ST. ANTHONY ST. MARGARET

Spsitt, 1 4 8 Capelli, 1 3 2 8

Motter, 1 0 0 M'Chew, 1 0 2

Hoffman, 1 0 0 Torchial, 2 0 4

Dover, 1 0 0 Murphy, 3 3 6

Ward, 1 0 0 Smith, 1 1 3

Totals 4 2 10

Halftime: St. Anthony, 8-4.

St. Margaret's 19-10

Referee: Kelly.

WESTGATE HILLS MANOA B. C.

Dysart, 1 0 0 Ponzo, 1 0 0

Lord, 1 0 1 Freis, 1 0 0

Reilly, 2 0 4 Gillian, 1 0 0

Leonard, 1 0 0 Allen, 0 0 0

Connelly, 1 0 0 Allen, 0 0 0

Reid, 2 0 4 Schele, 4 2 10

Totals 10 12 24

Totals 10 12 24

Referee: Kelly.

THE GAME WAS STAGED IN THE YEADON SCHOOL AND THE MEMBERS OF THE WINNING TEAM WERE:

Ted Moerman, Jr., who was high scorer for the Lower Merion boys and piled up seven points; Gregg Bowen, second highest Lower Merion scorer; James Moerman; Robert Whartnaby and Joseph Deery.

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Barbara Hippel Wins Spelling Bee

Deciding Word Was "Lucre"; Boy Takes Second Prize

Barbara Hippel, ninth grade member of the High School, won first award in the sixth annual spelling bee held in the school auditorium on February 21. The last deciding word was "Lucre." Like last year Bill Watts was the last remaining survivor of the boys' team. But this year he was the winner of the second place prize. Virginia Armstrong won the bronze medal for first place. The first place award was a gold medal and the second place award was a silver medal. These medals and the list of words were supplied by the G. and C. Merri